


Councilmember Adrian Fenty


Councilmember Kevin Chavous

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Councilmembers Fenty and Chavous introduced the following bill, which was referred to the
Committee on _____.

To amend An Act To prohibit parking of vehicles upon public or private property in the
District of Columbia without the consent of the owner of such property to authorize the
removal of an abandoned vehicle on private property for more than 30 days, even when
the property owner consents to have the abandoned vehicle parked, stored, or left on
the property.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That
this act may be cited as the "Prohibition on Abandoned Vehicles Amendment Act of 2002".

Sec. 2. The second sentence of subsection 1(a) of An Act To prohibit parking of
vehicles upon public or private property in the District of Columbia without the consent of the
owner of such property, approved January 15, 1942 (56 Stat. 5; D.C. Official Code § 50-
2621(a)), is amended by striking the phrase "3 months" and inserting the phrase "30 days" in
its place.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

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Sec. 4. Effective date.

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This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.

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